



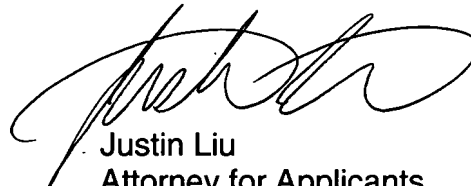
REMARKS

Claims 1-14 and 17-24 are pending in the present application after entry of the present amendment. Applicants have canceled Claims 15 and 16 without prejudice, thereby rendering the rejection of these claims moot.

Claims 1-14 and 17-24 are allowed. Applicants thank the Examiner for this acknowledgement of patentable subject matter.

Since no rejections or objections remain outstanding, Applicants believe that Claims 1-14 and 17-24 are in condition for allowance, and allowance of the application is therefore respectfully requested. If action other than allowance is contemplated by the Examiner, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone Applicants' attorney, Justin Liu, at 408-879-4641.

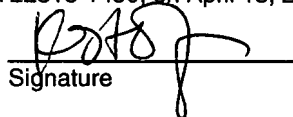
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